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Re: Docket No. 2008-0083, Application of Hawaiian Electric Company, Inc. for
Approval of Rate Increases and Revised Rate Schedules and Rules

Dear Parties:

As stated in the Commission's letter of September 28, 2009, enclosed, please find the issues that will be included in the panel evidentiary hearing beginning October 26, 2009.

Should have any questions, please feel free to contact us.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Carlito P. Caliboso".

Carlito P. Caliboso
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Enclosure

Application of
Hawaiian Electric Company, Inc.
Docket No. 2008-0083
For Approval of Rate Increases And Revised Rate Schedules and Rules

ISSUES TO BE INCLUDED IN PANEL EVIDENTIARY HEARING

I. Parties' Disputed Issues

- A. Informational advertising
- B. Return on common equity

II. HCEI Related Costs Excluded From Interim Rates

- A. Sales Decoupling
- B. HCEI-Related Positions
- C. HCEI-Related Outside Services

III. Other Costs Excluded from Interim Rates

- A. Campbell Industrial Park Combustion Turbine Unit ("CT-1") In-Service Date and AFUDC Treatment
- B. Employee Electricity Rate Discount
- C. Merit Employee Wage Increases
- D. Commodity Prices

IV. Additional Issues

- A. Employee Count
- B. Purchased Power Adjustment Clause
- C. Cost Overruns on CIP Projects
- D. ECAC
- E. IRP/DSM Costs
- F. Rate Design
- G. Non-Merit Employee Wage Increases
- H. Management Audit

I. Significant Expense Increases (limited)

- 1. Medical Insurance (HECO-ST-13)**
- 2. Outside Services (HECO-ST-11)**

V. Settlement Agreement

A. ADIT Adjustments-Book Depreciation

B. Other Operating Revenues (Why diminished in comparison with amount in HECO FERC 1 Form)

C. AMI R&D Consulting (Appropriateness given delay in AMI docket)

D. Fuel Expense for CT-1 (Should amount be updated or corrected given status of fuel contract?)

E. Effect on projected expenses of HECO corporate efficiency and cost reduction measures (reduced training, no overtime, reduced vehicle maintenance, etc.)